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Sir:

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Applicant provides information in conformance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 and 1.98.

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Applicant submits herewith a copy of the International Search Report dated  
April 27, 2000 and a copy of the International Preliminary Examination Report dated  
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Copies of the four items cited in the International Search Report also are provided.  
It will be noted that each of these was placed in the "A" category as "defining the general  
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International Preliminary Examination Report the claims were found to satisfy the criteria  
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